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UTILITY PATENT

Applicants: Continelli, et al.

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REPLY

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Commissioner:

In reply to the Office Action dated September 12, 2006, please consider the following remarks. Also included is a petition for a one-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and the extension fee specified by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) to extend the reply period to January 12, 2007.

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